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Crossing of Wires Fatal To Ted Wade

Popular Telephone Employe Loses Life Sunday Morning

Wind Storm Cause of Crossing of Wires and Loss of Life

Crossed wires resulting from the windstorm of Saturday night caused the death of Theodore Wade, wire chief of the Sierra Madre Telephone and Telegraph Company Sunday morning about 9 o'clock. The tragedy occurred on North Sunnyside Avenue where Wade went in answer to a trouble report received at the telephone exchange. In attempting to straighten out the trouble which he supposed to be caused by the crossing of telephone wires, Wade ascended a short pole to cut one of the wires. Not knowing the wires were crossed with a broken power line of the Southern California Edison Company at a point some distance north, he received the full force of the 4,400-volt current.

The accident was witnessed by John Noble who accompanied Wade as assistant, and by Mrs. W. B. Clark, residing west of Sunnyside. According to reports, Wade made the usual safety tests which seemed to indicate nothing stronger than the usual telephone currents on the wires. This was interpreted later to mean that the high tension current was intermittent, possibly due to the swinging of the wires.

Dr. E. L. Jackson, who was summoned to the spot, expressed the opinion that death had been instantaneous and not due to the fall from the pole. The police and fire departments being notified, pulmoter equipment was summoned from Monrovia and Pasadena. Both responded quickly, but all efforts at rescuscitation proved unavailing.

Deep sorrow was felt thruout the community on account of the untimely death of Mr. Wade. He was 28 years of age and had been employed by the telephone company about four years. Mrs. Wade has been the bookkeeper for the company and both had many friends among the people of Sierra Madre.

The body was taken to the Ray A. Grant funeral parlors, where an autopsy was conducted Tuesday afternoon. The jury returned a verdict of "unavoidable accident."

Funeral services were held on Tuesday evening, in the Grant chapel, Rev. A. O. Pritchard of the Congregational Church being in charge. Mrs. Wade left later in the evening to take the body to their old home in Kansas City where Mr. Wade's mother still resides.

Great Mission Is Brought to Close At St. Rita's Church

The Mission at St. Rita's Church closed Sunday evening, February 24th, at 7:45. The service was unusually well attended and opened with the saying of the Rosary. A very eloquent sermon by Father Thos. Carter, C.P., was delivered. The renewal of the Baptismal Vows was very impressive. A lighted candle was given each person in the congregation and held in the right hand, while the Baptismal Vows were renewed.

Following this was the administering of the Papal Blessing, Benediction and the singing of "Nearer My God to Thee" brought to a close a week of devotion and prayer.

Reports from thruout the diocese indicate that the mission, which was held simultaneously in all parishes, was one of the most remarkable religious events of recent years. Large attendance and keen interest were in evidence everywhere.

Mr. Hoover has been in many a grim famine-relief campaign, but never in one so hopeless as this one to satisfy republican office seekers.—Springfield Republican.

Women's Society Social Session Tuesday, Mar. 5

The monthly social meeting of the Women's Society of the Congregational Church will be held Tuesday, March 5, at 2:30 in the church parlors. The program will be in charge of Miss Leah Fletcher and promises to be of unusual interest. The small pupils of Miss Bird Dell Bundy will give the little play, "Alice and the Talking Flowers." All friends of the church, as well as strangers, will receive a cordial welcome.

Junior High Concert In Club House

Woodrow Wilson Orchestra And Glee Clubs to Be Heard

Residents of Sierra Madre will have an opportunity to hear a concert by the orchestra and girls' glee club of their own junior high school next Friday night, March 8. The concert will be given in the Woman's Club House. The musical numbers will be supplemented with readings by Miss Evelyn Caldwell, a talented member of the English faculty.

Because of the inconvenience of attending junior high school events at the school, many Sierra Madre people have had no opportunity to discover the quality of work done by the junior high school musicians. The orchestra under direction of Theodore Gundry and the glee club directed by Mrs. Gertrude Howard have reached a high degree of excellence. On this program they will present several numbers which they have not presented in public before.

Tickets will be sold at nominal prices. The proceeds will be devoted to the student body fund. However, this concert has been arranged, not so much for profit as for the enjoyment of the Sierra Madre people. Had profit been the primary purpose, a larger auditorium nearer the school would have been chosen. Arrangements have been made thru the cooperation of Principal Arthur M. Brown with a number of local citizens.

To prevent discomfort and dangerous crowding the number of tickets to be placed on sale willl be limited by the seating capacity. For the first few days only adult tickets will be sold, to ensure ample opportunity for all adult persons. After that both adult and juvenile tickets will be be available.

Priest Has Long Course Of Training

Kiwanians Hear Interesting Life Story from Fellow Member

Members of the Kiwanis Club were given an unusual treat at their Tuesday luncheon with a splendid talk by one of their own number. Rev. Father Hyacinth of St. Rita's Parish was the speaker.

The theme of Father Hyacinth's talk was the story of his own life, not so much as a personal narrative but as illustrating the training required for the priesthood of the Roman Catholic Church. In simple fashion he told the story from boyhood ambitions, turning to the realm of religion, facing the barren existence of the novitiate, the rigorous training during student days, the temptation to turn back, the struggle to meet the requirements for orders.

Much light was thrown on what is dark and mysterious to the average person, and in the simple recital Father Hyacinth's hearers came to a new understanding and appreciation of the work of the men who are able to qualify for such an order as that of the Passionists. This feeling was aptly expressed by Rev. A. O. Pritchard in moving a vote of thanks to the speaker.

R. A. Pratt is Laid to Rest On Tuesday

His Passing Brings to Close Business Career of Great Activity

Pioneer in Coca Cola Business Won Many Close Friends Here

Russell A. Pratt, a resident of Sierra Madre for about six years and a widely known business man, passed away early Sunday morning at his home, 336 Sturtevant Road. The end was not unexpected, coming after a long period of ill health.

Mr. Pratt would have been 59 years of age today. He was born in Red Wing, Minn., and early showed a genius for business which led to a varied and active experience. For twenty-seven years he was associated with the Coca Cola business in bottling and distribution departments. He operated plants in Huntsville, Ala., and at various other places in the east and south.

Coming to Los Angeles nineteen years ago Mr. Pratt organized the Coca Cola Bottling Co., which operated all through Southern California. He also organized the Coca Cola Distributing Co., which controlled the Pacific Coast rights. In Los Angeles he married Miss Helen Beatrice Frazier who was his business assistant and who has given him such devoted care as his health failed.

After disposing of his interests in the Coca Cola business Mr. Pratt came to Sierra Madre to reside. His genial nature and desire to help every worthy cause won for him universal friendship here. His habitually active mind would not allow him to forego all business, so he entered the furniture business and made of the Sierra Madre Furniture Company a surprising demonstration of what could be done by good merchandising metnods. He took great interest in the planning and erection of the charming Italian villa home overlooking the valley where he spent his last days.

Mr. Pratt is survived by his wife and daughter Dorothy; by a sister, Mrs. H. P. Taber of Red Wing, Minn., and a brother, Arthur P. Pratt of Los Angeles.

Simple funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon by Rev. A. O. Pritchard of the Congregational Church, of which Mr. Pratt was a member. The committal service of the Masonic order was conducted by officers of Sierra Madre Lodge No. 408, F. and A. M., interment taking place at Forest Lawn Mausoleum.

Mmes. J. B. Curran, L. C. Schuck and W. J. Schiltz of East Highland Avenue and Miss Isabel Leabel of 115 E. Central were visitors in Burbank Wednesday.

When Colonel Stewart cut that Standard Oil melon, it must have given him a twinge of pain to hand the largest slice to Mr. Rockefeller.—Boston Transcript.

Mrs. Caukin Will See Inauguration In Washington

Mrs. R. O. Caukin left last week for Washington, D. C., where she will spend some time with her daughters, Misses Esther and Christine Caukin. The former is in the office of the international relations committee of the American Association of University Women, while Miss Christine is carrying on her studies preparatory to entering Mills College in the fall. Mr. Caukin says his wife, who has devoted a great deal of time to political organization and editorial work, is looking forward with keen anticipation to witnessing the inauguration and the opportunity for observing capitol doings. She will remain there until June.

Comedy Cast Assures Fine Production

"The Hiring Line" to Be Given by Community Players

Performance to Be for Benefit of Eastern Star Chapter

Screamingly funny situations and clever dialogue are said to mark "The Hiring Line," the cemedy which will be put on by the Community Players as a benefit for the Eastern Star chapter. At Monday night's rehearsal it was found the production had reached an unusually advanced stage under the direction of Mrs. H. E. Allen and W. C. Gruit, thus assuring a smooth performance.

A glance at the cast, announced this week, also affords convincing proof that local playgoers will be provided a great evening's entertainment. The various parts will be taken as follows:

Sherman Fessenden...J. H. Osgood
Rosalind, his wife..Mrs. H. E. Allen
His Daughter..Mrs. Jack Lockhart
Wm. Capron...Samuel L. Graham
Pansy, his wife.....Mrs. R. Wood
Steve, his chauffeur...H. Roberts
Roland Oliver ...Harold Tweedale
The Butler.....James N. Hawks
The Cook.....Mrs. Mary H. Gay

Baby Clinic Will Be Held Thursday In the Park House

The Baby Clinic will be held as usual in the Park House next Thursday from 9 to 12. All those desiring consultation must be registered before 11 o'clock. Dr. Brown of the county health department gives advice on the diet, exercise and special needs of growing children. Parents may have their children examined free of charge. In cases where any hereditary weakness seems likely it is advisable to have such examination made very early. The Baby Clinic is conducted by the county health department and has the cooperation of the local Parent-Teacher Association.

Do People Like to be Fooled?

WHEN one comes to examine the problem of home trading and support of the local business community, two factors seem to exert the strongest pull in the wrong direction. The attractions, real and imaginary, that draw buyers to the big city are price and the alluring advertising in the daily papers.

Proof that these factors are often misleading and that Sierra Madre people lose directly and substantially by trading away from home is shown by one Sierra Madre merchant. The big display advertisements flaunting the alleged low prices of the big city stores tell the story. The comparison is made by means of the advertising pictures and the identical article offered right here in Sierra Madre at lower prices.

Tom Tyler is the merchant presenting this novel exhibit. He makes a practice of studying the ads in the Los Angeles papers and clipping those with pictures of articles carried on the floor of the Sierra Madre Furniture Co. The comparison of these alleged special offerings with regular local prices is often startling.

Customers can see for themselves. $99.00 in Los Angeles, $93.75 here; $45.00 in Los Angeles, $36.50 here; $69.85 in Los Angeles, $61.00 here. These are actual figures on various items.

Probably the same comparison could be made in practically every line of business represented in Sierra Madre. In most of them the opportunity for direct comparison is not so common as in furniture. People read those ads of the big city stores and believe the offerings are cheap just because the ads say so.

This is no criticism of advertising. It simply shows that one has to know whose word is dependable.

You know you can depend on your home town merchant.

Planning on Future Need Of Highways

Chamber of Commerce Community Dinner Largely Attended

Maps and Methods of Regional Planning Commission Explained

Planning highways for traffic requirements 50 years ahead, planning a stage setting for community musical and dramatic effort, entertaining dances by the youngsters who will be doing big things in a surprisingly short time, and a splendid dinner made up a full session at the chamber of commerce community dinner last night.

The dinner was served by the woman's club committee headed by Mrs. William Lees, and was unusually delicious. W. R. Humphries presided and kept things moving rapidly. Miss Josephine Nelson's pupils in dainty costumes and rhythmic steps danced to the music of Mrs. George Norris at the piano.

Mrs. Milton Steinberger presented sketches by Architect R. M. Finlayson showing the proposed classic stage for the city park. She showed how attractive it would be from all sides, free from objections which had been urged aaginst it, and what a tremendous contribution it would be to the future enjoyment of the community.

William J. Fox, chief engineer for the regional planning commission, was the principal speaker and said Mayor Lawless had asked him to bring lots of maps. So there were maps all over the stage, showing what the commission has planned to meet the future commercial and scenic highway needs of the San Gabriel Valley.

Fundamentals of city and highway planning were sketched by Mr. Fox. Using a series of charts, he showed how studies have been made of the population growth, increase in automobiles, relation of automobiles to population, traffic density on highways and so to arrive at the actual highway area which will be required to carry traffic which may be logically expected at any period in future.

Financing of highways was also discussed by Mr. Fox. There is a definite relation of assessed valuation to population, so it is possible to forecast the taxing possibilities of the future and to say what average amount of highway construction will be required and can be paid for. Preliminary studies were also shown on increase of airplane ownership and air traffic, with relation to airport requirements and highways appurtenant.

Mr. Fox also gave some advice to property owners as to considering the future uses of their own streets, whether business or residence. He touched briefly on the subject of assessments. While he did not claim perfection in procedure, he showed how sound fundamental basis has been established. Overlapping assessment districts, he said, are much criticized but nobody has yet shown how to avoid them.

School Children Are Told to Spend Their Cash Wisely

Mrs Butler of the county school savings organization visited the school on Tuesday. She addressed the pupils on the subject of regular saving habits, and also gave interesting talks on the wise expenditure of money, its purchasing power, etc.

"Care and Beautification of Picnic rounds" is receiving attention of the school pupils. Judges from the garden section of the Woman's Club are expected to visit the school today to consider the ideas advanced by the pupils. Progress of the work will be watched and prizes awarded on Labor Day.

Through courtesy of the Radio Shop a radio will be installed at the school on Monday so the pupils can hear the ceremonies in connection with the inauguration of Herbert Hoover as president.

Mrs. Brockway to Address Meeting Of Mothers' Club

Mrs. L. C. Brockway of Pasadena will be the speaker at the meeting of the Mother's Club to be held in the parlors of the Congregational Church next Friday, March 8, at 2:30. Mrs. Arthur T. Evans, president, extends a cordial invitation to the mothers of young children to hear the address on child training.

W. J. Schiltz and Thomas W. Neale spent Tuesday at Corona del Mar.

New Link in Montecito to Be Opened

Case Will Come Up in the Superior Court Next Monday

Early prosecution of the condemnation suit for the opening of West Montecito Avenue between Lima and Sunnyside Avenues was forecast by City Attorney Robert Wygant on Tuesday. He reported to the city council that he was prepared to go ahead with the court proceedings which were initiated by Frederick Baker, former city attorney, many months ago.

Referees appointed to appraise the value of the land to be taken were W. S. Andrews, Woodson F. Jones and W. R. Humphries. These men were instructed to appear in the office of Presiding Judge Keetch of the superior court Wednesday morning to be sworn in.

This was done according to appointment arranged by Mr. Wygant and the appraisers received their instructions as to procedure. They were also provided with maps supplied by City Engineer O. A. Gierlich, showing just where the new link in the street will run, with exact data on the parcels of land involved. After making an examination on the ground they will report back to the court next Monday with their appraisal.

Opening of this portion of Montecito Avenue has been sought by owners of adjacent property for many years. The block from Lima to Sunnyside is approximately 1400 feet long. Montecito Avenue has been opened eastward from Sunnyside through the E .A. Miller tract, and westward from Lima through the W. A. Evans tract.

Lying between these dead-end streets is a stretch of 470 feet commonly known as the Fowler or Colwell property. This is the land involved in the present condemnation suit. Opening of Montecito will provide another east-west thoroughfare which will be of great convenience not only to the immediate neighborhood but as a through street.

Scout Troop Help is Aim Of Meeting

New methods in Boy Scout activities and organization will be explained to Sierra Madre people by Tallman H. Trask, district Scout executive, next Thursday. The meeting is called for 1 p. m., in the Park House and everyone interested in the welfare of Sierra Madre boys is urged to attend.

Scouting in Sierra Madre is in need of rejuvenation, as everyone familiar with the situation is aware. Arthur T. Evans, who officiated as Scoutmaster for a long time with little or no support, has been compelled to give up the work because of out-of-town business requirements. His resignation went into effect several weeks ago. Since then the American Legion post, sponsoring the troop, has tried in vain to secure a successor.

Since the last troop committee was organized in Sierra Madre radical changes in policy and organization have been made, according to Mr. Trask. He believes that when these are made known it will be possible to establish a troop here on a more effective basis than ever before.

Progress on Central Ave. Is Reported

Detailed Cost Estimate Is Promised Within Ten Days

Preliminary Work on West Portion of Project Is Nearly Done

Detailed cost estimates on that portion of the Central Avenue project lying west of Sierra Madre will be ready in about ten days, according to the reports given the city council on Tuesday by Robert Wygant, attorney, and Harry G. Holabird, appraiser on the project.

Conferences have been held recently between Messrs. Wygant and Holabird, Engineer H. S. Gierlich representing Sierra Madre, and City Engineer Warren Earle of Pasadena. Unit prices were agreed upon as the basis of estimates on the improvements. Mr. Wygant said the appraisers would start work immediately placing a valuation on all property required for the improvement. In this work W. S. Andrews and Thomas W. Neale will act with Mr. Holabird, and it was said their report will be ready within a few days.

Mr. Holabird reported to the council that he had had a preliminary conference with Charles H. Hastings, owner of the Hastings ranch, concerning the right of way through his property. Mr. Hastings had asked for maps and further details as to drainage and other matters involved.

At the termination of the double Drive in Pasadena an extra wide cross-over is projected for the Pacific Electric tracks, according to Mr. Wygant. Inasmuch as the highway will continue along the south side of the track this side of Villa Avenue, a satisfactory crossing will be arranged which will not require too short a turn for automobiles.

City Engineer Gierlich reported construction work on the new reservoir would soon reach a point requiring pipe and fittings for the inlet and outlet, these not being included in the contract. The total amount involved would exceed $300, requiring the council to call for bids, and the time is too short for that formality. It was decided to split up the items and have the water superintendent get prices from several firms on the items needed first, so the board could order purchase in the open market at the next meeting.

Attorney Wygant presented the draft of an ordinance ordering sale of the swimming pool bonds recently voted by the canyon park district. The council adjourned to meet in special session next Tuesday in order to expedite passage and the subsequent sale of the bonds.

New Unity Center To Meet Regularly In Sierra Madre

William Stack, an internationally known student and teacher of metaphysics, addressed an interested audience in the Masonic Temple Monday night. The speaker explained the principles taught by the Unity School of Christianity in Kansas City as applied to everyday life.

As an outcome of the meeting it was decided to organize a Unity Center in Sierra Madre and the study will be carried on under the leadership of Mr. Stack. He is affiliated with the work in Pasadena and Hollywood, and was formerly of the School of the Silence in London. Quarters have been engaged for the Unity Center in the assembly room on the second floor of the Woman's Club house, where regular meetings will be held on Wednesday evenings.

Last Tuesday evening members of the Auxiliary met at the Park House to hold a preliminary organization meeting for the purpose of organizing a drill team in Sierra Madre. The team is in charge of Mrs. Blanche Buie and when trained will prove a valuable asset to Sierra Madre and its civic organizations. The name of the drill master and details will be furnished later.

Short Opera Season Will Bring Stars

Great Chicago Company to Be Heard in Los Angeles At Early Date

Grand opera devotees of Los Angeles and environs are soon to enjoy a short but brilliant repertoire of the Chicago Civic Opera Company at the Philharmonic Auditorium, beginning Friday evening, March 8, with "Norma," followed on March 9 by "Thais" in the afternoon, and the same evening "Faust," with a final performance of Wagner's "Lohengrin" on Monday evening, March 11th.

The organization will be brought to the Pacific Coast complete in all its vast component parts — leading singers, chorus, orchestra, corps de ballet, and carloads of gorgeous and colorful scenic, costuming and luminous effects. The operas for Los Angeles, therefore, will be presented at the Philharmonic Auditorium upon the identical plane of traditional excellence and visual beauty employed in the company's home theatre.

The foremost artists to be heard are Rosa Raisa, Mary Garden, Edith Mason, Maria Olszewska, Charles Marshall, Coe Glade, Jose Mojica, Cesare Formichi, Ada Paggi, Richard Bonelli, Maria Claessens, Charles Hackett, Virgilio Lazzari, Rene Maison, Marion Claire, Robert Ringling, Desire Defrere and many others. Maestros Giorgio Polacco, Robert Moranzoni and Henry G. Weber will conduct.

Mary Garden, who will sing the leading role in "Thais," is inseparably associated with the great rise in popularity of French Opera in America. She was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, but has been an American since six years of age. Her first attention to music was thru the violin, but her vocal powers became apparent, and after preparation with American teachers, she went to Paris and studied there successfully. She obtained a hearing at the Opera Comique, and found her great opportunity there in "Louise," in which she appeared for 100 performances. After other successes in Paris she appeared in London, and then came to the Manhattan in New York. Her career with that and the Chicago company is familiar history. She is the only woman who has held the position of general director of any American opera company, and during her regime in that capacity with the Chicago Company she gave her audiences a brilliant season of opera. She returns again this year as one of the most valued soprano artists.

Rosa Raisa, who will apepar in "Norma" has been acclaimed by Chicago and New York as one of the foremost dramatic sopranos, was born in Russian Poland. Obliged to flee Russia at the age of 14, she reached Capri, Italy, where a philanthropic woman befriended her and provided her musical instruction. Eva Tetrazzini heard Miss Raisa sing and introduced her to Cleofonte Campanini. Under his auspicious patronage, the young artist made her debut at Parma and later came to the Chicago Opera, with which she has remained since, save a year passed in European opera houses and several visits to Buenos Aires and La Scala in Milan and Mexico City operas between Chicago seasons.

Continuous Performance

"Sam, are you ever fired with enthusiasm?"

"Yessah! from every job I tackles."—Camera Fun.

In Adam's Footsteps

"Father of Six Children Places Blame on Wife."—Headlines in the Lansing State Journal.

Calling Her Bluff

Mabel: "Why so sad, honey?"

Leora: "That big sap that I was going to sue for breach of promise wants to marry me now!"—Life.

Knows the Worst

"Dearest, I must marry you."

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"Yes, many times; but I love you just the same."—The Grost.

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Newspaper Comment

Ancient tombs reveal furniture of bewildering costliness, but nothing to rival in value a seat on the New York stock exchange. —Washington Star.

A lady on trial in New York says she can not remember shooting her husband in November. Not many keep a diary in November. —Detroit News.

A "seer" says 1929 will be a fortunate year for females, thus making the tenth year of that kind since 1918.—Kingston Whig.

And if the apes could chatter in our lingo they might agree that man did plenty of descending while he was at it.—Dallas News.

King Amanullah of Afghanistan couldn't make his people shave, but he had a rather close one himself.—Schenectady Union.

What Mussolini will do if he ever stops running Italy is more than we know, but he has an ideal disposition for the driver of a highway bus.—Nashville News.

We are anxious to have world peace, but see no reason for fighting over it.—Dayton Journal.

The objection to the inferiority complex is that it doesn't affect the right people. — Muskogeee Phoenix.

Senator Reed says the British could destroy the Panama Canal in five hours. A country always gets more vulnerable when a Navy bill is pending.-Peoria Star.

And just suppose that the Salvation Army has to call a disarmament canference! — Winston-Salem Journal.

Our position is that there is a good five-cent cigar, but the retailer insists on getting two bits for it.—Dallas News.

Civil servants in Jugoslavia have been forbidden to curse the public. The kill-joy spirit appears to be spreading.—Punch.

A convict wrote a book of poems while in Sing Sing. Probably he had given up hope of parole for good behavior.—Jackson News.

A number of earnest persons are urging the spanking of children. We know a whole raft of parents that need it, too.—Milwaukee Journal.

In regard to the news that three-fourths of the explosives produced in the country are used in mining, some one asks if Chicago is in the copper or bituminous coal belt.—Detroit News.

About the time we thought the saxophones were going out, the movies began to talk.—Shoe and Leather Reporter.

Of course Hoover was glad to see Al Smith. The former democratic candidate didn't come to ask for a job.—Virginian-Pilot.

Many students come to college just to get atmosphere, says a dean at Columbia. Maybe that's why so many get the air.—Schenectady Union-Star.

Chicago is described by a newspaper correspondent as an Augean stable. This the burg that puts the "Aw, Gee!" into Augean. —Punch.

Nothing makes daughter more indignant than father's not being able to make money enough so mother can dress as she does.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Whenever a certain French playwright is at a loss for an idea, he plays the saxophone. After a little of this he no longer worries about ideas.—Punch.

Some people think that the Federal Reserve Board is not so reserved as it ought to be.—New York Evening Post.

Where Do We Stand in Television?—Headline. Well, our idea was, right in front of the screen. —Arkansas Gazette.

Mussolini has forbidden bear trading in stocks. We were pretty sure he would repeal the law of gravitation when he got around to it.—The New Yorker.

There is a good deal of talk about the rights of the minority, but about the only way it can get them is to leave the impression on the law-making body that it is the majority by howling louder than the latter.—Ohio State Journal.

The private secretary of the governor of Oklahoma may become known as the power behind the thrown.—Indianapolis News.

It is too bad the whaling business is a thing of the past, not only on the ocean but in the home.—American Lumberman.

We still have much to be thankful for. They haven't yet put the gum-chewing championships into the talking movies.—San Diego Union.

Mr. Hoover as the republican leader has only to get a cabinet together, but we democrats have to do that with a whole party.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

We hope the repaired parts of the Frigate *Constitution* do not leak as badly as some of the repaired parts of the U. S. Constitution.—Brunswick Pilot.

Secretary Wilbur says the navy is unready for war. By an amusing coincidence, there is no war ready for the navy.—New Yorker.

When Willie starts bringing in problems in the Einstein theory for his home work, there'll be another reason why men leave home.—Arkansas Gazette.

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Pretty Nurse: "Every time I take the patient's pulse, it goes faster. What shall I do?"

Doctor: "Blindfold him!"—London Everybody's Weekly.

Somebody Guilty

"No girl ever made a fool out of me."

"Who was it, then?"—U.S.C. Wampus.

Regular Washout

Steal $5,000 worth of Soap and Make Clean Getaway.— Chicago Tribune.

Who Remembers

When the kids used to beat it to the low spots and build rafts after the first hard spring rain?

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE.
No. 266603.

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.

MINNIE ABERLE, Plaintiff,
—vs.—
A. N. COLE, et al, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, on the 2nd day of February, 1929, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against A. N. COLE and EDITH A. COLE, his wife, Defendants, on the 30th day of January, 1929, for the sum of Fourteen Hundred Fifty-eight and 03-100 Dollars gold coin of the United States, plus interest and costs, which said judgment and decree was on the 1st day of February, 1929, entered and recorded in Judgment Book 671 at page 29 et seq. (to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made), I am commanded to sell at public auction all the following described premises, situate, lying and being in County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

South 102 feet, except the West 147.45 feet thereof, of Lot 25, Block "A" of Tract No. 1703, per map recorded in Book 22, Pages 14 and 15 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, the 5th day of March, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon of that day in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs and expenses of sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated February 2, 1929.

R. E. ALLEN,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

H. G. SIMPSON,
Security Bldg., Pasadena, Calif.,
Attorney for Plaintiff. 19:22

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 100912

Estate of James N. Powers, also known as J. N. Powers, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Lyman W. Powers, Executor of the Estate of James N. Powers, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executor at the office of Dora Dukeshire, Attorney for said Estate, at her office, 929 Merchants National Bank Bldg., 548 South Spring Street, City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated February 12, 1929.

LYMAN W. POWERS,
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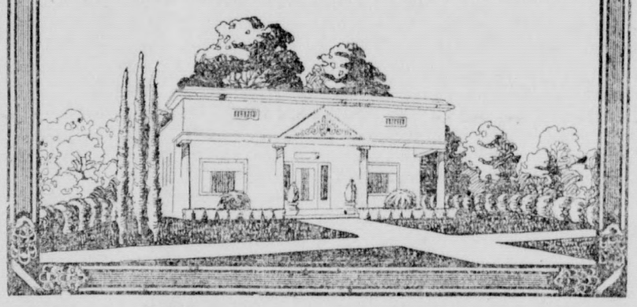

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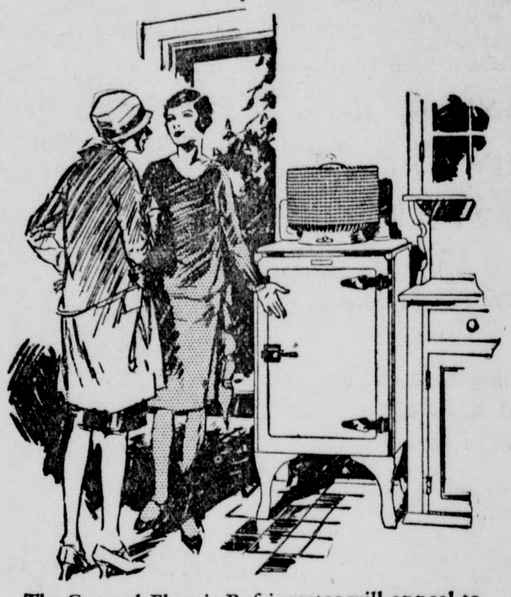

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Woman's Club Notes

Through the efforts of Mrs. John H. Robertson, who was a student in Dr. Roman's class at U.C.L.A., this great lecturer is to address the Womna's Club on the evening of March 27th, and all members are urged to bring their husbands.

Dr. Frederick W. Roman is well established as an authority on economic, political and educational problems. After his graduation from Yale he spent eight years in research study in Europe, obtaining the Doctor's degree from the University of Berlin, and from the University of Paris the degree of D.Litt. He has written books in French, German, and English and his "New Education in Europe" is now being widely read.

Dr. Roman is now devoting himself almost entirely to an adult education program in California. This work is being accomplished partly through forums now being established in various cities, and also through University extension courses and single lectures.

The afternoon session of the club, Wednesday, Feb. 27, was in charge of Mrs. E. D. Burbank, who carried off two disappointments most graciously. First of all the club chorus found it impossible to sing as they had planned to do and Mrs. Simpson, one of the speakers for the afternoon was unable to come. Mrs. Burbank handled the situation in her own inimitable way and turned disappointment into laughter. When Mr. C. H. Peterson arrived Mrs. Burbank gave him the task of explaining Mrs. Simpson's work among Mexican children in the John C. Fremont school in Pasadena. Because of this Mr. Peterson did not have as much time as his hearers could have wished to tell of his own work along the line of adult education among foreigners in this country. He explained the certificate or diploma method of naturalization. Until 1912 there was no way by which a foreigner could get proper instruction to help him pass his naturalization tests. In that year classes were formed to instruct those who wished to become citizens. After finally obtaining a diploma the applicant could present that as proof of his eligibility for citizenship. Mr. Peterson pointed out that it is now necessary for the Bureau of Education and the Bureau of Immigration to get together for the purpose of standardizing methods of admitting people to citizenship.

Tea was served as usual in a delightful way by Mrs. Greese. The table decorations were appropriate for February and Mrs. Barbour, in Civil War days costume, added a bit of color to Mrs. reese's well-planned social half-hour.

The morning session of the Current Events-Public Welfare section was well attended. Several papers by our own club women were much enjoyed: National Affairs, by Mrs. Dunning; Prohibition, by Mrs. W. F. Thayer; and Co-operative Marketing by Mrs. Mrs. Halsey. Dr. Louisa M. Eddy presented Mrs. Gertrude Beebe who spoke on "Where Our Taxes Go in the Up-keep of County Charities." Mrs. Beebe brought with her for exhibition and sale many articles made by inmates of the county farm.

At 12:45 Mr. Roscoe Goodcell of the Automobile Club of Southern California gave a splendid talk on state road systems in Southern California.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Humphries announce that they will again on this Saturday hold another Rummage Sale in the old News building. They urge that each member of the club donate at least one article for the sale. Mrs. Robertson or Mrs. Humphries will gladly call for anything you have to give. Buyers are also needed to make a sale successful.

The next Presidents' Council will be held on March 14 at the Pomona Ebell Club and Mrs. Robertson reminds club members that these councils are well worth attending.

Mrs. Burbank makes the very interesting announcement that Miss Potter invites the Garden Section and all other members of the club to visit the Huntington Gardens Monday, March 4, at 1:30. On Mondays these gardens are not open to the public so this is strictly a private party. Please telephone Mrs. Burbank for arrangement for transportation. Tea will be served in the garden at your own expense.

The Woodrow Wilson Junior high school orchestra will give a concert at the Club House March 8 at 8 p. m.

Mrs. W. E. Walker, general chairman of the Wistaria Fete, asks for the co-operation of all club women in putting over the fete. The help of every member is needed.

Mrs. Young told of the splendid progress of the cook book and asked for advance orders for copies.

Mrs. Lawless told of plans for making marmalade to sell at the fete and asked for volunteers in that work.

Mrs. Butts of the local P.T.A. called attention to the fine exhibit of hand-work of the school children and she asked for encouragement for the children in their work.

Miss Clara Sykes, a member of the board, has been appointed to represent the Woman's Club on the Chamber of Commerce.

MRS. MANCHESTER'S BOOK REVIEW—

On Wednesday, Feb. 20, Mrs. O. B. Manchester gave another one of her intensely interesting book reviews. She opened her morning lecture by drawing attention to especially fine articles in current magazines. After this she gave some convincing reasons why some of the late biographies are well worth reading. Following this Mrs. Manchester read some modern poetry, thus showing her class that poetry is very readable and should be given considerable attention. Her next subject was fiction, and she suggested several new worth while books, and closed her instructions with a few words on late drama. Mrs. Manchester has a charm in her manner of presenting books which makes her class return to their homes determined to find more time for reading.

WOMANS CLUB GARDEN SECTION—

Through the kind offices of Miss Mary Potter, the Garder Section is invited to assemble in the Huntington Library grounds Monday, March 4, at 1:30. Tea will be served and a horticultural authority will explain the planting and give the names of the various rare shrubs and trees.

The regular meeting of the Garden Section will be held Wednesday, March 6, at 10:30 a. m., in the Woman's Club house. Mrs. Wolfe will present a paper on dahlia culture. At 1 p. m. Mr. A. S. Johnson of Monrovia will speak on "A Garden of Flowering Shrubs."

Reception and Banquet Next Saturday

Many Sierra Madre people are interested in the meetings of the Pan-American Social Union in session in Los Angeles from Saturday to Tuesday. On Saturday night at the First Methodist Church the Latin American Mission and the Plaza Community Center hold a reception and banquet honoring Latin-American consuls and prominent church officials. The Plaza Community Home in Sierra Madre will participate, with the children contributing a number of their charming songs.

Fire Flames

By One of the Boys

Last Wednesday evening at about 7 o'clock, members of the San Gabriel Valley Firemen's Association began to congregate around and in our own city hall, where the third monthly meeting of this organization was held. Chief Richards and members of our own "brave battalion" were on deck with preparations to meet the visitors. Due to the "faithful few" (except the writer and Gordon Brooks) everything was in readiness, even to the finest detail. The president's chair was placed and polished and ditto for each invited speaker. Due to the regular secretary being 'occupied' for the first hour or so, Mr. Thew of Sierra Madre held down the job. (He held it down so well that he may be able to fill a vacancy in the near future.)

Practically all our boys were present, either in the meetin' hall or in the 'mess' hall. The chief headed the reception committee. Joe Swanson seemed to be tne boss cook, at any rate he sounded like it. He had as his 'flunkeys', George Norris, Vern Udell, Don Hosford, Steve Petsel and Roy Walsworth. If there were any more they must have been out during the writer's presence. This is not a very intelligent group we must admit. But nevertheless, under Swanson's observance and supervision, they did turn out a fairly acceptable and delectable hamburg and hot-dog lunch. The coffee would pass the acid test, and carbolic, at that. It sure would shoot holes in a fellow's pants leg. Howsomever the visiting fireboys ate and drank in regulation form and by all appearances a good time was had by all. The next meeting of this association will be at Covina and oh! how we will get even with those birds.

We had quite a lovely time washing the dishes after this great event. That is, we had a lovely time getting them washed. It seemed most all the volunteers were volunteering to go home. However, Joe Swanson took command and the dishes were washed.

One of our brave boys got the meeting-night dates mixed and took particular pains to wear the proper outfit and appear at the city hall on time, only to find that he was alone with the idea and that the meeting was on another evening, etc.

The recent shock to the entire community, in the death of one of our most popular young men, the firemen were called upon for their first artificial respiration experience. Although unsuccessful in this attempt, the boys participating in the work were highly commended by the Pasadena Department and officials who are well acquainted with this work. Firemen Joe Swanson, W. L. Hibbs, Bob Babbitt, Vern Udell and Chief Richards were those who took part.

After listening to the 'fight' at Miami, the writer thought he could surely "wrestle" out a good column for *Fire Flames*, but getting so many of Monday's (an announcer) words mixed in our own vocabulary and getting football, baseball and wrestling mixed with fighting, we find that we don't know whether a fire is an ocean or a blue robin is a jack rabbit.

As was often stated before, we have a certain time to hit the hay, and that time is nigh, so the

FIRE'S OUT!

A clown attacked by a lion at a circus sustained no personal injury, but had all his clothes torn off. It would seem that the craze for the "comic strip" is spreading to the animal world.—Punch.

Clough Cave, which is one of Sequoia National Park's scenic gems, is again open to the public, due to the construction of a new trail. It is reached after a hike of seven miles leaving the South Fork Road at Maxson's Ranch.

From the Old News Files

TWENTY YEARS AGO

The $30,000 bond issue for a municipal gas plant was approved by the voters 116 to 41.

Forest Ranger George Crow reported the government was experimenting with the planting of several varieties of eucalyptus in the mountains, trying to find trees suitable for reforestation.

Attorney Oscar Lawler and family of Los Angeles came to make their home in the Rice bungalow on North Baldwin.

Ordinance of intention to improve Auburn Avenue was introduced at the city council meeting. Trustees Hosmer and Graham were appointed a committee to purchase a road scraper for the city.

TEN YEARS AGO

F. D. R. Moote was installed as master of the Masonic lodge. The ceremonies were delayed two months because of the ban on public meetings during the flu epidemic.

Dr. Lee DeForest, radio pioneer, leased *Mia Italia* for the season, bringing his family here to reside.

Harold Sherman was released from naval service and spent a few days visiting at home before leaving for McKittrick.

The Rev. William Carson Shaw, formerly of Allianre, Neb., arrived to take the post of rector of the Church of the Ascension.

Rev. H. J. Baldwin of the Bible Institute, Los Angeles, came to Sierra Madre to become pastor of Bethany Church.

M. C. Doucet who sold his stationery and music store to Woodson F. Jones left for San Francisco, planning to represent an eastern stationery house in Australia.

Wrong Tackle

The station master rushed out of his room after hearing a crash on the platform. He discovered a disheveled young man sprawled out perfectly flat among a confusion of overturned milk cans and the scattered contents of his traveling bag.

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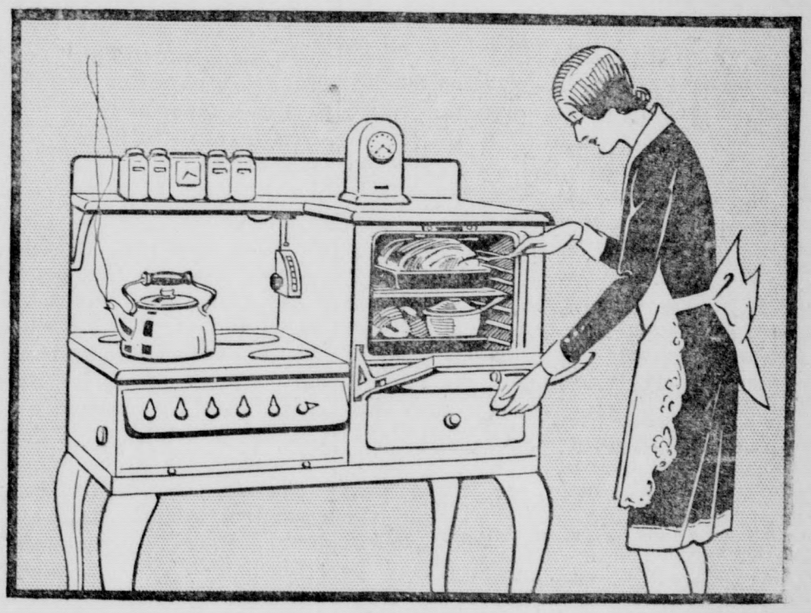

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WATCHFULNESS NEEDED

BETWEEN those who would deliberately undermine the public school system to destroy it, and those who would use it for their own advantage and profit, the cause of education in the United States is going to require the serious attention and support of its friends during the next few years.

To prepare students not merely to earn a living but to live worth-while lives, to be good citizens in a sound democracy, is a tremendous responsibility for the schools. They must be supported and protected in it.

Criticism of school policies and methods is necessary and valuable, provided it can meet the test of sincere interest. Friends of education should always be alert to combat the criticism which is superficial and destructive.

Last week 12,000 public school administrators of public school systems met in Cleveland to consider school problems. Dr. John A. Sexson of our own high school district was among them. Better financing of schools, better articulation of units of education, better selection and training of teachers, and especially, character training, were some of the objectives kept foremost in the discussions. The purpose and method of the conference tend to lend confidence to those who have the interest of popular education at heart.

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"UNAVOIDABLE"

THE tragic death of Ted Wade on Sunday cast a pall of gloom over the entire community. The thought of a life cut off in the flower of health and early manhood was distressing even to strangers outside the circles in which he was popular. Again the age-old question, "Why?" was asked.

In considering the case, the coroner's jury did not venture to place responsibility. As in many other cases, the term "unavoidable" leaves much leeway. It is no criticism of the present jury to say that the term is rather overworked in reference to fatal accidents. It has become almost a habit in disposing of traffic deaths.

Current opinion, more substantial than ordinary street gossip, refuses to accept the view that the accident was "unavoidable." To definitely place responsibility may be difficult. It is not the purpose here. However, there is a widespread feeling that wiring conditions in Sierra Madre are not what they should be. In the light of this tragedy the need for careful checking up cannot be denied. If unsafe conditions exist, they should be remedied. Public officials and public service corporations have a joint responsibility. They will contribute greatly to public confidence by taking active steps and reporting to the public when they have actually done whatever needs to be done to insure against any further "unavoidable" fatalities.

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CRIMINAL JUDGES

(Hemet News)

SAYS Newton D. Baker, a leading American lawyer: "Probably the greatest difficulty about the whole problem of crime has been our unwillingness to give our judges real power in criminal trials. We make them arbitrators of sparring matches between lawyers, instead of real representatives of the dignities and rights of the state."

This is not so in England. There the trial judge really conducts the case, and when the lawyers scrap over the rules of evidence or interfere unduly with the full and clear presentation of testimony, the judge brushes them aside and questions the witnesses himself.

Our criminal trials are lawyers' battles over legal technicalities and procedure. British criminal trials are efforts to discover the truth, and if the hired legal representatives of the defendants do not help in that process, they are at least restrained from interfering with it.

No doubt this has much to do with the fact that there is less crime and more regard for law in England than in present day America.

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MILES OF CARS

IF all the automobiles registered from Southern California were run out on the state highways of the eleven southern counties, and lined up end to end, there would be just an inch of space between cars, according to the 1928 registration gures. Probably by this time the increase of cars would take up the surplus and make the line solid.

The total state highway mileage in the southern counties is 2466. In 1928 there were 1,077,482 cars registered from that district. Assuming twelve feet as the average length, the total length of the vehicles would be 2449 miles, only 17 less than the state highway mileage.

Addition of county and municipal highways, of course, relieves the crowding. However, the comparison is startling enough to make us wonder what is going to happen if the increase in population is faster than the process of becoming air-minded.

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A THOUGHT FOR WIVES

(Imperial Magazine)

HERE is an idea for women who are sick of doing their housework by inefficient methods due to the lack of interest of Selfish Husbands.

One of the great-great-grandfathers of Arthur Staples, veteran Maine editor, was married to a half-breed Cape Cod Indian, named Lois Smith. All this Indian girl brought to the family possession by way of a dower was an iron pot. It was of cast-iron and was called "The Cape Cod Pot." The Indian wife fried meat, if she had any, in that Cape Cod pot. If she boiled potatoes it was in this Cape Cod pot. If she made tea, it was in this Cape Cod pot.

As the family began to get established as an economic unit this energetic pioneer woman with good Injun blood and good white blood in her veins, said that she wanted some more cooking utensils. It had become burdensome to wash out the Cape Cod pot for frying after baking and for baking after frying and for tea after soup. She wanted a tea-kettle, a baker-pan, in order to make life a little aesier.

In reply, her husband, who did not consider that his wife was poor in her possessions, would say to her, "You have the Cape Cod Pot." And the Indian wife would go away and make no reply. As time went on and she persisted in her requests he would make answer, "We have the Cape Cod pot." She got tired of it and to close the argument she took the Cape Cod pot and the axe and went out to the wood-pile and smashed the Cape Cod pot into junk.

And then, when she asked her lord and master for a frying pan, and he replied "We have the Cape Cod pot, dear," she smiled at him. "We ain't got the Cape Cod pot any more." And the husband had to go to town and buy a tea-kettle, a frying pan and a baker-pan or else go hungry.

The story has been told here just as it is related by Arthur Staples.

"The Cape Cod pot would have been a precious heirloom, but a better heirloom is the memory of the grandmother who had the spunk to bust a dower," he comments.

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MAKE THE WORLD GAY

(Puente Journal,

COLORED telephone poles instead of the drab, gray affairs that clutter up most modern landscapes, may add artistry to our surroundings in the near future. A pole-setting company has discovered a new kind of wood preservative with which poles can be painted to insure a longer term of life. The preservative can be made in several colors and it is being strongly urged that colored telephone poles would lend variety and beauty to any landscape and cost no more than non-colored poles treated with the preservative.

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GAMBLING KINGS!

(Whittier News)

ACCORDING to a Chicago paper, the police in that city made some 275,000 arrests last year, but secured only 899 convictions. The odds, therefore, are 275 to 1 that the Chicago criminal will never know what the inside of a penitentiary looks like.

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FAITH IN YOUR CITY

(Azusa Herald)

PSYCHOLOGY has shown us that you cannot sell something to another until you have sold the proposition to yourself. You must believe in your city if you would have strangers believe in it.

Observations

(By G. B. M.)

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Surveying a Kingdom—

Sitting on that knoll where Bob Carr plans to put the next cabin for his desert homestead, we have plenty to see and plenty to think about. It was a strategic lookout for the Indian squaws grinding their meal, and the old arrow makers. Eight or ten miles across the plan are the slopes of Mt. San Jacinto, with a halo of clouds and Indian legend. Anything moving on the intervening plain could hardly escape their watchful eyes.

And there is plenty moving on the plain these days. The procession of motors on the concrete ribbon down the middle of the valley never ceases. There is another airplane headed for Palm Springs and kicking up the desert dust as it lands. The morning paper says the hotel company and some of the other property owners are seeking an injunction against the airport. Poetic justice!

Why do people go to the desert? For solitude, quiet, rest, and relief from the city which the desert spaces offer. So they go down there to Palm Springs, promote a town, flock together, build a huge hotel and expensive mansions, send the price of real estate higher than Tahquitz, and then go to fighting each other with injunctions instead of in the time-honored manner of plainsmen whose neighbors commit a crime against their peace and security.

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The Quiet Side of the Valley—

Over here on the bench above the San Andreas earthquake fault we are eight or ten miles away from the fashionable resort town. But it will not be for long. As Cabot Yerxa writes me, "The desert is too well settled now and too many people live there to suit us old timers. But it is hard to keep 'wild places wild' when there are so many automobiles. And that desert is now in the path of progress."

Anyone doubting that should see the date ranch we passed earlier in the afternoon, half way from the state highway to "Two Bunch Palms." Some Hollywood capitalist has "improved" about 80 acres by erecting a tight 6-foot wire fence and starting a date ranch. We can look down on it from the knoll. The tamarisk trees are planted in rectangles for wind breaks and the palms have made splendid progress for a five-year growth. A four-cylinder gas engine drives an electric generator which operates the pumping equipment for two or three wells and a lighting plant. A high steel tank is provided for domestic water supply and an irrigation reservoir also makes a fine swimming pool. Thrifty looking garden plats show what the desert soil will do with water brought to the surface. Yes, the desert is getting civilized.

All this is interesting to speculate upon. But the shades of night have been falling no faster than the thermometer and we reluctantly turn toward home. We are returning to the concrete by a different route. The road winds through the brush, off to the northwest. It is surprising what good time we can make over these unworked roads.

Our objective is one of the more pretentious homestead layouts which we have seen from a distance. Bob wants to pay a social call on his old neighbor, Bill Anderson. He was a pioneer along with Carr, Yerxa and Billy Mann. He has been laid up several months with injuries inflicted by his well-drilling outfit, thankful he is still alive. We sit and visit till the lights are twinkling in the distant town and along the highway. Bill insists we can't leave without something to eat, so we have our evening meal under his hospitable roof. It is an interesting house with substantial adobe walls, neatly plastered.

Our host says the city people pester him to put a price on his land. When they talk about $50 an acre he shuts them up by talking about a thousand. They say he is crazy and he retorts that is what he expected them to say. Anything to make them shut up. I suspect that date ranch pioneering down there in the middle of the valley has had a very elevating influence on the price of a lot of land within a radius of five miles. We hate to leave Anderson's fireside, his pioneering experiences and tenderfoot tales. But we are a long way from home. So we turn the headlights down the long slope to Garnet and are really on the way.

There is certainly no solitude on a paved highway. Where do all the cars come from, and where are they going? Probably lots of them are homeward bound like ourselves from some other of the endless exploring trips which are within easy reach here in Southern California.

Reservations

By J. R. E.

"Be kind to birds and cats," says a News story, in effect. Well, we like birds and cats, too. But it is difficult to have cats around, and enjoy the birds at the same time. We remember a gorgeous yellow Persian we owned back east. In the summer time we lived at the lake, and the cat was taken along as a member of the official family. During the first couple of years at the lake there were numberless birds — robins, thrush, wrens, canaries, and dozens more, and the woods were filled with their sweet calls all day long.

But the birds began to decrease in numbers, and the writer began to suspect the cat. Now the cat was well fed—too well fed, in fact, to be much good as a mouser. But how she did love the birds. Other members of the family insisted that Jill only brought home the dead birds that she found in the woods. The writer thought otherwise; and one day we caught the cat in the act of stalking and killing a beautiful yellow canary.

The cat didn't last long after that, and the last I knew, the birds were again making a haven of the beautiful trees on the lake at *Shore Acres*.

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Yep, we like dogs, and cats, and birds—each in their place. Sometimes we get "turrible sore" when a dog bays at the moon for hours on end, at night. But our wrath is directed toward the dog's owner, and not toward the dog. After all, a dog will behave if his master insists on good behavior, and if we ever feel inclined to put ground glass in a piece of meat in order to stop a dog howling at night, it'll be a piece of succulent steak, and we'll invite the dog's master over for dinner.

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A Los Angeles motorist ran down eight persons in a safety zone the other day. They ought to turn him loose in a bowling alley—with a padded fence surrounding it.

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Buron Fitts' stock on justice row took a slight drop when it was discovered that someone had blundered and Callie Grimes "has went away."

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If the newspapers would only "get wise' 'and "lay off" Bob Shuler and Aimee, it is probable they would both turn out to be good, substantial citizens—sometime. But not while they are getting all that good, free publicity.

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Offenders of the narcotics act are not going to become Sunday school workers as long as they can sell 50 cents worth of dope for $50, and face a penalty of a fine totaling about two weeks' "intake." The only place for a doctor who would wilfully prescribe a drug for the sake of the money in it, is a cell in the penitentiary.

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The news that King George is convalescing rapidly from his recent illness is received with joy thruout the civilized world. One can not but admire the bravery of this grand old man. Long live the king!

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No, folks; Dempsey wasn't shot—only half shot.

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A New York millionaire is going to the Orient to hunt for an "articulated" python, the largest known reptile. Probably wants to find out if any other living thing can squeeze his bank roll as hard as a N. Y. chorus girl.

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WHO REMEMBERS

When it was safe to wrap the reins around the buggy whip and let Dobbin find his own way home?

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Walt Heber says even Lindy can't drive an airplane with one hand!

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Fullerton has a new breakfast club. Why? So far we have seen no record of breakfast clubs establishing children's home, or providing milk for the undernourished kiddies. Of course it's fun to meet an' eat—but it's tough on the ham and eggs.

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Last year Reservations suggested a breakfast club for Sierra Madre; meet at 6, work an hour in Bailey Canyon, eat at 7 and go to the office with a feeling of having *done* something. But nothin' ever came of it.

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Interesting News Notes from Sierra Madre Canyon

On Thursday morning of last week a committee from the Canyon Improvement Association composed of J. P. Nash, A. M. Croxson, J. R. Thompson, J. P. Morris, Wm. A. Thomas and Miss Laura E. Cadmus met Mayor W. J. Lawless, Trustees Isaacs, Myers and Belohlavek and City Engineer O. A. Gierlich in the canyon for a conference at the swimming pool for the purpose of looking over the ground south of the pool which the Association is asking the city to purchase for a park. It was suggested at this time that private individuals might acquire these lots to hold until such time as the city might be in a position to purchase them. The matter was referred to the city attorney. The cleaning of the accumulation of sand in the pool was also taken up with the trustees, but was held over for a decision of flood control engineers regarding the disposition of dirt. Location of a public comfort station, plans and specifications for the bath house and concession were also discussed. Plans drawn by the city engineer revealed the fact that the dimensions for the bath house will be 64 by 23 feet and that the building will cost approximately $4,000.00. Of the two types of bath house submitted, Spanish and English, the latter was favored by the committee as being more in keeping with the surroundings. Canyon folks were assured that the work on water mains would in all probability be finished, or nearly finished, by May. Trustee George F. Blakeslee, who was unable to be present at the meeting, visited the Canyon on Friday in company with Trustee Belohlavek.

J. P. Nash represented the association at the meeting of the board of trustees on Tuesday, at which time the ordinance calling for the sale of the pool bonds passed its first reading and a motion was adopted calling for the opinion of a bond attorney. O. A. Gierlich was instructed to meet a committee of three people from the association to arrange satisfactory plans and specifications for the bath house. A special meeting of the board of trustees was set for Tuesday of next week in the interest of the pool program.

Mrs. Ralph S. Miller of Pasadena was a guest of Mrs. James Vieira for a number of days last week.

Mrs. Theora Jones and Mrs. May Nunez of Los Angeles were visitors at the home of Mrs. Ella A. Cadmus on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Harvey Herring left the canyon Wednesday for their home in Mentone. They plan to return again next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. L'Ecluse and Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Cox were dinner guests at La Venta Inn in the Palos Verdes hills on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Evens of *Just-a-Mere Home* on Brookside Lane spent the week end at Walnut Park visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. C. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Morris and Mr. Morris' sister, Mrs. Cora Ogle, spent Sunday at Santa Susana visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Bennet at Tapo Ranch.

Dale Straw gave residents a big thrill Thursday of last week when he flew his airship over the canyon and hill so low that all who saw him were able to recognize him at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Hodge of Lomita had as guests at their cottage *Splash Inn* from Sunday until Tuesday, Mrs. Hodge's son, Leslie Phillips, and Miss Bessie Read of Long Beach.

The regular meeting of the Canyon Improvement Association will be held in the real estate office of Laura E. Cadmus Thursday evening of next week at 7:30. Members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lunny of *Green Bells* on Vista Circle Drive attended the orange show in San Bernardino Saturday, returning home by way of their ranch in Perris Valley where they spent the week end.

Among canyon visitors on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hauenstein of Gardena, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Price, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Veino, Mrs. Lulu Straw, Mrs. T. D. Laws and Miss Marjorie Laws of Long Beach and Dick and John Madden of Hermosa Beach.

Rev. A. O. Pritchard, pastor of the Congregational Church, will give the address at the Easter sunrise service this year on Inspiration Point above the canyon. All other churches and organizations of the city are invited to co-operate with the Canyon Improvement Assn. in the service.

On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Leon S. Griswold spent their holiday at the Lake Norconian Club, near Corona. Mr. and Mrs. Griswold declare the club magnificent in the nobility of its settings, admirable in the charm and refinement of its appointments and dazzling in the hospitality of a Mediterranean atmosphere.

Alfred E. Hunt of Monrovia and Miss Laura E. Cadmus entertained the following guests at Lone Pine Studio on Monday evening with a musical program: Evangelist John E. Brown, Mrs. Brown, Miss Helen Brown, John E. Brown, Jr. of Siloam Springs, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Virgin, Mrs. Jennie M. Virgin of Pasadena, Mrs. Ella A. Cadmus, Donald Barnfather and William A. Thomas.

Henry Isaacs has purchased the lot just north of the Petsel property, formerly owned by W. L. Mason of San Pedro, and Wm. A. Thomas has purchased the lot lying next to the pool from Mr. and Mrs. C. E. House. These lots, which form the only available parking space in the immediate vicinity of the pool, will be held by Messrs. Isaacs and Thomas in order that the city may have an opportunity to purchase them at a later date. The transaction was made through the office of Laura E. Cadmus.

Red Cross is Planning for Hurry Calls

Thorough Organization to Be Planned for Meeting Emergencies

All Local Agencies Are to Be United in Avoiding Loss of Time

Plans for a program to be available in case of any emergency call, were discussed at the regular meeting of the Red Cross held in the council chamber of the city hall Monday, with W. R. Humphries, chairman, presiding. A committee composed of Mrs. Jack Wright, Mrs. Ellen Barker and Mr. Humphries will confer with the police department, Firemen's Club, city nurse, fire warden and county forestry department, as well as other local organizations. A plan will be worked out with the names of persons who will know where to secure cars, materials, workers, supplies of all kinds, or anything that might be needed, to avoid loss of time in case of any emergency. Sierra Madre residents have always responded generously whenever called upon, but it is thought that with a definite skeleton to work with, work can be handled in an easier manner.

Mrs. Fred Griebenow, chairman of production, reported the following members to serve on her committee: Mrs. J. Milton Steinberger, Mrs. Stella Dennison, Mrs. Percy Kortkamp, Mrs. A. Holland, Mrs. W. H. Wolf and Mrs. F .H. Hartman.

Mrs. W. C. Gruit, secretary, reported the following directors elected: Mrs. Ellen Barker, Mrs. M. D. Welsher, Mrs. Emil Sturmthal, Mrs. Hortense Hill, Miss F. Vannier, Miss Elizabeth Steinberger, Mrs. J. Milton Steinberger, Miss Lydia Webster, Mrs. J. O. Smith, Mrs. J. H. Wright, Miss Jean Woodward, Mrs. F. Griebenow, Mrs. Walter Poehler, Miss Clara Sykes, Mrs. W. J. Schiltz, Mr. Ogg, Woodson Jones, George B. Morgridge and R. S. Corlett.

Miss Steinberger was appointed to confer with the American Legion and Auxiliary to see if the Red Cross can be of assistance in the work being done for needy disabled veterans and their dependents.

Two subscriptions were ordered to the Red Cross Courier, one to be placed in the library and the other to be sent to the public school. .

The following letter was received by Mrs. D. T. Reeder, secretary of the Junior Red Cross in Pasadena from Miss Ethel M. Schureman, director of Red Cross Service at U. S. Veterans' Hospital at Whipple, Arizona: "The Juniors of the Sierra Madre school are to be congratulated on the very pretty little George Washington hats which they have just sent to us by parcel post. The hats are so nicely made and are a very clever idea for candy boxes. We are sending them to the chief dietitian to be used on the trays of the bed patients on Washington's birthday and I know they will bring a great deal of pleasure. Something pretty and interesting on the tray helps to give an appetite for the meal.

"Please convey to the Juniors the sincere thanks of both the Red Cross and the patients for their cheerful holiday greeting."

In the future the Red Cross meetings will open at 4 o'clock instead of 4:30.

Giving the Birds And Animals Water Is Thoughtful Act

"People should remember that birds and stray cats and dogs need water. Hence, they should see that pans or basins of water are provided in every yard as a humane practice in this dry country," says a News reader who loves her furred and feathered friends.

One precaution should be observed in providing drinking places for birds and animals. The water should not be allowed to stand until it becomes stagnant. This makes it unfit for the intended purpose, and also provides a breeding place for mosquitoes. So the practice of this kind lady should be followed and the water changed every day or two.

The carelessness of the victims in leaving their automobiles unlocked is responsible for at least 95 per cent of the auto thefts, according to Walter Wood, chief of the theft bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California, who makes the estimate on a basis of the day-by-day records of the department.

If half of the dispatches about him are correct, Trotzky is more than living up to the first syllable of his name.—New York Post.

AUDUBON PARK

"A Good Place to Live or Rest Awhile."

Talking to a Sierra Madre real estate agent recently, I found that he did not know where Audubon Park is, nor what it is. I expect there are others. The entrance to Audubon Park is at 476 Sturtevant Drive, at the mouth of Sierra Madre canyon. It is a cluster of cottages, in an oak and sycamore grove, furnished for housekeeping. They rent from twelve to twenty-five a month, all utilities paid. It is a "good place to live all the time or rest awhile" from business or the demands of strenuous living, or to recuperate after sicknes. No TB's taken and, to save the birds and squirrels, no dogs or cats. If you don't want to rent a nice place for yourself, tell your friends about it. Croquet ground. Pool for kiddies. Shed for cars. All fenced.

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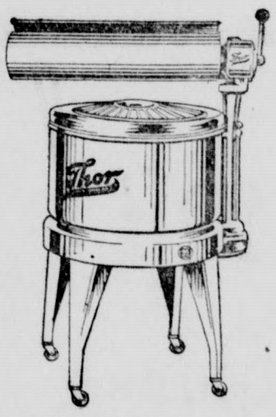

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FLOWERS—Sow seeds in open ground: Acroclinium, Ageratum, Alyssum, Antirrhinum, Arctotis, Amaranthus, Balsam, Bartonia, Brachycome, Calendula, Calliopsis, Candytuft, Celosia, Centaurea, Clarkia, Painted Daisy, Early Flowering Cosmos, Dahlia Seed, Daisies, Four O'Clocks, Godetia, Gomphrena, Gypsophila, Helichrysum, Hunnemannia, Kochia, Larkspur, Linum, Lupin, Marigold, Mignonette, Nasturtium, Nemophila, Nigella, Phlox, Poppy, Scabiosa, Sunflower, Sweet Peas, Lawn Grasses, Vine Seeds.

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Church News

Bethany Church

William Duncan Ogg, Pastor.

9:30 a.m.—Bible School, classes for all ages. Pastor's adult class, subject, "The Palestinian Covenant; the Jew the Key to History."

11 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon theme, "The Coming of the Gibeonites." Scripture material, Joshua 9. Anthem by the choir, "From Egypt's Bondage Come." Solo by Mr. Samuel Kirk, "In My Father's House Are Many Mansions."

6:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor meetings.

7:30 p. m.— Evening service. Old-fashioned Gospel Song service. Sermon theme, "The Christian Church; Who Are Members Of It?"

Wednesday, March 6, Pastor Ogg speaks over KTBI at 2 p.m.

Congregational Church

Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard, Pastor.
Convers Twycross, Superintendent
Mrs. Myrtle G. Hill, Pianist.
Gustav Riherd, orchestra leader.

At the morning service, Mr. Pritchard will continue his talks on the Chapel windows. The subject this week will be "I Am the Resurrection and the Life."

In the evening at 7:30, the quartet of the First Congregational Church of Pasadena will give a musical service. Miss Geraldine Anderson will give a musical reading.

At the Church School the Pastor is giving a series of talks on "What it is to be a Christian," speaking each morning to the Junior and Senior departments.

On Wednesday evening at 6:30 will be the monthly Church dinner at 6:30 o'clock.

Pilgrim Holiness

Mrs. E. B. Stewart, pastor.
Woman's Club House, 2nd floor.
Sunday school, 9:30.
Preaching service 11 and 7:30.

Christian Science

Corner Highland and Hermosa.
Christian Science Society of Sierra Madre is a branch of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a. m.—Sunday service. Subject for March 3, "Christ Jesus."

8 p. m.—Wednesday, Testimony meeting.

Reading room open Monday, Wednesday, Friday, from 2 to 4.

Church of the Ascension

Rector, the Rev. L. C. B. Hill.
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Third Sunday in Lent, Mar. 3:
Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Church School, 9:30 a. m.
Choral Eucharist, 11:00.
Thursdays—
Holy Eucharist, 7:30 and 10.
Buffet supper, 6 o'clock, followed by Bible study until 8:30.
Litany, 8:30 p. m.

All welcome to the supper and instruction.

Woman's Guild meets each Friday at 2:30 p. m. in the Parish House. During Lent, Auxiliary work will be taken up and Bishop Fiske's "The Faith by Which We Live" will be read. All women will find here opportunity to serve and to be helped.

The Woman's Guild will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon.

Unity Center

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Home Vital Influence Thru Life

Miss Wadsworth Gives Interesting Talk Before P.T.A.

"The home is the most vital influence in anyone's life. That is the place where we spend most of our working and leisure hours and we are influenced for joy and comfort or distress by our surroundings, or the way we dress our homes."

Thus Miss Phebe Ray Wadsworth, assistant supervisor of art in the Pasadena schools, summed up her address on art and interior decoration at last week's meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association. Because of the early publication of last week's News it was impossible to print the report until this issue.

Miss Wadsworth went on to outline the proper dress for a home. This should not be without aim, and should be a self-expression of the occupant. Decoration is only good when it serves a purpose. All rooms should radiate cheerfulness and homelikeness by the use of lines in their proper places and the proper use of color. Straight lines for stability, stateliness and dignity, in entrance halls and in the construction of the houses. Curves and straight lines in living rooms for cheeriness and comfort, never oblique or diagonal lines as these result in and indicate confusion. Pictures should be hung with tops level, and small ones grouped to carry a line. Rugs and furniture placed parallel to walls assist the idea of expansiveness.

Miss Wadsworth illustrated her lecture by the use of stereopticon slides showing various room arrangements. She impressed her audience with the splendid character of the work now being done in all grades of the schools for the purpose of laying the foundation of better homes.

Mrs. W. C. Gruit gave a short talk on the aims and work of the chamber of commerce, urging P.T.A. members to attend the meetings.

Mrs. E. A. Calvert of Pasadena, former president of the association, gave a talk appropriate to Founders' Day, reviewing the 32 years of P.T.A. development. She said that Sierra Madre is part of the First District of Pasadena and is entitled to receive what it needs from the Pasadena community chest the same as any other Pasadena school. This was illustrated by the purchase of junior high school bus tickets for the children who were unable to pay, also the purchase of cots for the summer health school.

IN APPRECIATION

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks for the beautiful flowers, kind words and other expressions of sympathy and assistance rendered on the occasion of the loss of my beloved husband.

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Naughty, Naughty!

On top my thoughts are nice and neat, with noble words and manners sweet. But when some crisis stirs my mind, I'm just surprised at what I find. — Boston Daily Post.

A Bit of Nonsense

FINANCIAL MYSTERY

"My wife has queer ideas."

"For example?"

"Well, she can't understand why a bank is so much fussier about her owing it than a department store is."

TEST OF LOYALTY

Molly: "Are you sure that Fred loves you and you alone?"

Kathleen: "Oh, yes; more then than at any other time."—Ex.

ASSURANCE

"And will you love me as much as this when we are married?"

"Darling, how can you doubt me? I've always liked married women best."

DESPERATE CASE

Sympathizer: "How's your insomnia?"

Incurable: "Worse and worse. I can't even sleep when it's time to get up."—Answers.

EDUCATIVE WANDERLUST

"They say if there's anything in a man, travel will bring it out."

"You tell 'em! I found that out my first day at sea."—Wright Engine Builder.

ALL WELL THAT ENDS WELL

Butler: "Your wife has run away with the chauffeur."

Husband: "Oh, well, I was going to fire him anyway."—Life.

FOR GROWING BOYS

The spacious rooms, which have been tastefully fitted up by our leader, together with ancient walls, fire-place and growing pants, brought lovely recollections to some and deep emotions to all.— Upper Marlboro (Md.) Herald.

WRONG MEDICINE

"I hear Jones fell down on his pharmacy examination."

"Yes—he got mixed on the difference between a club and a western sandwich." — American Legion Monthly.

That Vacant Chair

Bachelor Girl: "What do you miss most now that you're married and settled down?"

Wife: "My husband."—Life.

FLOURISHING INDUSTRIES

"Teacher: "What is Boston noted for?"

Johnny: "Boots and shoes."

"Correct. And Chicago?"

"Shoots and booze." — Chicago Tribune.

YOU CAN NEVER TELL

He was happily married four times, all of his wives preceding him to heaven. Won't that be a happy meeting?—Louisville Pentecostal Herald.

Bad Spill

First Hobo: "Raggles says he was raised in de lap of luxury."

Second Hobo: "Dat dame sure musta stood up."—Boston Transcript.

In Wonderland

"Will you please drive off the track?" asked the motorman. The truck driver promptly pulled to one side.

"Thank you ever so much," added the motorman, with a smile.

"You're very welcome," responded the truck driver, "but you must pardon my seeming carelessness; I had no idea your car was so near."—Muskogee Daily Phoenix.

Cheap-skate Logic

"Before we were married, Henry," said the young wife reproachfully, "you always gave me the most beautiful Christmas presents. Do you remember?"

"Sure," said Henry cheerfully, "but, my dear, did you ever hear of a fisherman feeding bait to a fish after he had caught it?"—Muskogee Daily Phoenix.

Twilight of the Gods

We sell standard brands of gods at low wholesale prices for cash.—Ad in Ashville (S.C.) News.

Society and Personal

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE FOR JUSTIN THOMAS—

A birthday surprise party in honor of Justin Thomas was given Saturday night by Miss Ruthe Miller at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Miller, 331 Ramona Ave. When Mr. Thomas called at the house, as he supposed, to accompany the hostess to another event, he was quickly overtaken by the rest of the guests and the party proceeded to make merry. Bunco afforded amusement thru the evening and refreshments were served. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lang, Mr. and Mrs. David Shriner, Miss Thelma Emerson, Miss June Thomas, Miss Fortuna Otis, Miss Ruth West, Miss Dorothy Fowler, Miss Theresa Bunn, Miss Juanita Miller, Miss Ruthe Miller, Ted Rickert, Kenneth Wellis, Bernhard Bodine, Ray Austin, James Austin, John Miller, Henry Lannan and Mr. Thomas.

CLUB GIVEN ENJOYABLE MUSICAL—

The Friendship Club of the Congregational Church gave a musical at the home of Miss Jessie Dunning recently in honor of Mrs. Vernon Udell. Miss Dunning was assisted by Mrs. Thos. Schwartz, Mrs. A. H. Embree, Mrs. B. S. Stinman, Mrs. Wm. Butts and Miss Josephine Croft. After a delightful program of musical numbers and monologues, the club presented Mrs. Udell with a shower gift. Delicious refreshments were served later in the evening. Twenty-five members and friends were present.

Hostesses announced for the monthly social meeting of the Congregational Woman's Society next Tuesday are Dr. May C. Laidlaw, Mrs. A. F. Snell, Mrs. W. J. Ropp and Mrs. Blanche Buie.

AMATEUR MOVIES AT SMITH HOME—

On the evening of George Washington's birthday, some very interesting amateur movies were presented by Rudolph Hartman at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank U. Smith of 71 North Lima St. The movies consisted of several reels taken by Mr. Hartman and one reel of Japan from the Kodascope libraries. The last reel shown, a colored one taken by Mr. Hartman in Sierra Madre, was exceptionally fine and was viewed with special appreciation by the guests.

Those enjoying this delightful evening thru the courtesy of Mr. Hartman were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sweeney, Mrs. Gunhild E. Bodle, Miss Clella Marie Hall and the hosts.

Installation of some of the appointive officers who have not been formally inducted into office will be a feature of the regular meeting of the Eastern Star chapter next Monday night. After the chapter session there will be a social hour with refreshments, in charge of Mrs. Leila Roberts and Miss Dana Graham.

The girls of Mrs. Kittie Buie's Congregational Sunday School class will hold a home-cooked food sale Saturday morning, beginning at 9:30. Their appetizing offerings will be on display in the patio of the Sierra Madre Hotel building on West Central.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell, 171 W. Live Oak Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Copenhaver and their niece, Miss Ella May Copenhaver, spent an enjoyable holiday and week end on a motor trip. They left on Friday, driving down thru Imperial Valley to El Centro, where they spent the night. The following day they crossed over the border at Mexicali, and spent some time traveling through the rich agricultural district on the south side of the line. Returning to the American side, they continued their journey over the mountains to San Diego. After seeing many places of interest in and around San Diego, they continued on the way homeward, arriving Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Smith were agreeably surprised on Friday afternoon, February 22nd, by a visit from Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderbeck of Seattle, Wash. Mr. Vanderbeck is an old schoolmate of the Smiths.

Edward L. Schneeberger and Miss Angela Schneeberger attended the wedding of Miss Dorothy Ramharter and Mr. Barney Hodgkinson Saturday night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ramharter, 1106 South St. Andrews Place, Los Angeles. The Ramharters were formerly residents of Sierra Madre and have many friends here.

BRIDGE TEA FOR SPRING BRIDE—

Miss Linda Schwartz was the guest of honor at a lovely bridge tea given Wednesday afternoon at the San Gabriel Country Club by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. H. Schwartz of Alhambra. The event was one of a number for Miss Schwartz, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Schwartz and whose engagement to William B. Wright was announced recently. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Thomas Schwartz of Sierra Madre. The spacious club house was charmingly decorated for the occasion.

The guests included Mrs. Gerald P. Hills, Mrs. Harrison Guio, Mrs. Frederick Clark and Mrs. Mrs. Howard Wickersham of Alhambra; Mrs. Robert Daggett of Pasadena, Mrs. John Marble, Miss Miriam Marble, Mrs. Gerald Allen of South Pasadena; Mrs. Raymond Kenyon, Mrs. Ralph Beems, Mrs. Frank Tuchsher, Mrs. Howard Bliss of San Marino; Mrs. Ralph Densmore of Monrovia, Mrs. Gilbert Karste of San Gabriel; Miss Elsie Mae Fox of Los Angeles; Mrs. J. Hamilton of Beverly Hills; Mrs. Roy Troger of Hollywood; Miss Elizabeth Bixby of Long Beach, and Miss Sarah Schwartz, Mrs. Thomas Schwartz, Mrs. Edwin Ward, Mrs. Ralph Stover, Mrs. Donald Hosford, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. George Johnstone, Mrs. Hall Perry, Mrs. Samuel Graham, Miss Muriel Tarr and Miss Virginia Jones of Sierra Madre. The date of the wedding has not been set.

Frank E. Cox went over to Phoenix last week for a few days visit with his sons, John and Ted, who have a service station and store near there. He left on Thursday, returning home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Frank J. McCaslin left Wednesday for Oklahoma City. She was called there by reason of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Laura Anderson.

H. L. Schiltz, who has been visiting his cousin, W. J. Schiltz, and other relatives the past two months left Sunday night for his home in Emory, S. D.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Norris was the scene of a merry family dinner party Washington's birthday. In addition to the holiday which furnished the motif for the decorations, the event was in celebration of the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Norris and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Taylor of Hollywood.

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Sales Technique

THE TODDLER OVERCOMES AN AVERSION TO MILK

Sometimes one finds a toddler who has acquired a strong aversion to drinking his milk. The cause for this may be one of many. At some time the milk may have been too warm, or it may have had an unpleasant taste, or it may be that some adult has remarked in the child's presence "Oh, I just simply can't drink milk." Such circumstances as these are very apt to cause decidedly unfavorable reactions to the drinking of milk.

When such is the case the mother is forced to find some means of bringing about a favorable reaction and the question arises—how shall she do it? To force a child to drink his milk while tears drop from his eyes and perhaps into the glass is a poor policy indeed, which not only brings about a greater aversion but disturbs the digestive organism as well. Also to let the child realize that one is seriously concerned about the matter may stimulate him to continue his antagonism in order to gain the extra attention he loves so well.

Some mothers have found a better way. One tells of her child's fondness for dogs, "wows" he calls them. Very cleverly she related this fondness to the milk-drinking situation. She pasted a cut-out picture of a "wow" onto the bottom of the drinking glass and, putting a very little milk into it at first she told the child that if he would drink the milk he would see the "wow." The child's fondness for dogs and his desire to see the picture helped him to drink the milk, and with the continuance of this happy practice for a short time the aversion was overcome and the taste for milk cultivated. When this was accomplished the parent made a happy transfer of the picture idea and a picture book of "wows" was started.

Sometimes playing "tea party" with milk for the tea, or drinking milk "while kitty drinks hers" or a new cup or a pretty glass into which the child may pour his own milk will bring about a new happiness which offsets the former antagonism.

We who have the privilege of guiding and training children should ever remember that happy association with people or things brings about favorable reactions while an unhappy association can bring about an aversion or dislike that may last through life.

TIPS TO MOTORISTS

Engine knocks not due to bearing trouble or other causes which are easily determined thru lack of power, include what is known as the common knock, which is the ignition knock, caused by the spark advanced too much, or back lash in the timing gear teeth. This is a very serious condition which should be immediately checked by an expert.

Tires used by stage companies and commercial fleets unquestionably deliver longer mileage than tires used by the individual motorist. This is because they check the air pressure frequently, switch their tires from wheel to wheel, and keep their wheels lined up. Should the motorist observe all of these precautions, he would profit by the same high mileage.

Overheating of your engine is generally due to one of the following causes: Exhaust valve failing to open early enough to permit the burned gas to pass out; the carburetor having too rich a mixture; ignition running on retard spark; or the cooling system not working properly. When this condition exists in the motor, an expert should be called upon to fix it.

When your engine fails to stop after the ignition switch has been turned off (which is of course a very unusual circumstance) the trouble should be taken to an expert immediately, who no doubt will find defective switch or pre-ignition, the latter being caused by poor oil, which causes formation of a carbon deposit. This deposit becomes very hard and of course holds the heat so that it can be considered in the same category as an ignited spark.

Piston slapping is caused by worn pistons and cylinder walls. It sometimes can be remedied by installing new pistons, rings, or honing one particular cylinder. However, sometimes it is necessary to re-grind or re-bore the entire motor.

State Picnics Coming Soon

All who ever lived in Pennsylvania are invited to a great picnic all day Saturday, March 2, 1929, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles. Go early and spend the day with friends. There will be county registers and headquarters so all can find the old neighbors even with thousands present. There will be a brief program, but the main purpose will be to have a good time and to meet friends from all over Southern California.

WYOMING. — Don't forget the great annual Roundup occurs this year in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles. Come early and stay late, and visit with your old-time friends. Bring luncheon with you; coffee, cream and sugar will be provided by the society. The day and date: Saturday, March 9, 1929. County registers open all day long.—W. O. Owen, Pres.

INFORMATION, about state societies, registers and special events may be had from C. H. Parsons, secretary of the Federation of State Societies, Rosslyn Hotel Bldg., Los Angeles.

NOTICE OF ELECTION
—for—
Elementary School Trustee.
(Section 1595, Political Code.)

NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of Sierra Madre City School District of Los Angeles County, California, that the Annual Meeting for the election of School Trustee will be held on March 29, 1929 (last Friday), at Kindergarten Building.

There will be one Trustee to elect for three years.

The polls will be open between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 6 o'clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduce the election are: Vera W. Stewart, Inspector; Nellie F. Fox, Judge; Florence B. Smith, Judge.

Signed:
RICHARD S. JENSEN,
J. O. SMITH,
CECILY A. ALLEN, Clerk,
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Sierra Madre City School District.
Dated Feb. 11, 1929.
22-23-24

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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE.
No. 263842

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.
HELEN KEMP, etc., Plaintiff,
—vs.—
R. ENID RHEINSCHILD, et al, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, on the 13th day of February, 1929, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against R. ENID RHEINSCHILD and WALTER M. RHEINSCHILD, Defendants, on the 31st day of January, 1929, for the sum of Forty Hundred Twenty-two and 28-100 Dollars gold coin of the United States, plus interest and costs, which said judgment and decree was on the 2nd day of February, 1929, entered and recorded in Judgment Book 671 at page 37 et seq. (to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made), I am commanded to sell at public auction all the following described premises, situate, lying and being in County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot eleven (11), Tract No. 2828, as per map recorded in Book 33, Page 63 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said Los Angeles County,

EXCEPTING therefrom the North fifteen (15) feet thereof granted to the City of Arcadia, for street purposes, by deed dated June 1st, 1917, as recited in deeds of record.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday the 12th day of March, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon of that day in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs and expenses of sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated February 13, 1929.
R. E. ALLEN,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
DAVIS & THORNE,
433 South Spring,
Los Angeles, Calif.,
Attorneys for Plaintiff. 20:23

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE.
No. 250727

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.
JOHN L. FLEMING, Plaintiff,
—vs.—
FANNIE C. SHORT, et al, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, on the 8th day of February, 1929, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against FANNIE C. SHORT and C. A. SHORT, Defendants, on the 1st day of February, 1929, for the sum of Eleven Hundred Thirty-seven and 55-100 Dollars gold coin of the United States, plus interest and costs, which said judgment and decree was on the 5th day of February, 1929, entered and recorded in Judgment Book 671 at page 42 et seq. (to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made), I am commanded to sell at public auction all the following described premises, situate, lying and being in County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

"Lot No. 200, Tract 6052, Los Angeles, California, as recorded in Book 67, Pages 71 and 72, Maps of Los Angeles County."

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday the 12th day of March, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon of that day in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs and expenses of sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated February 8, 1929.
R. E. ALLEN,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
GEORGE ACRET,
Pershing Square Bldg.,
Los Angeles, Calif.,
Attorney for Plaintiff. 20:23

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE.
No. 268731

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.
HARRY E. HALL, et ux, Plaintiffs,
—vs.—
RICHARD D. JOHNSON, et al, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, on the 1st day of February, 1929, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against RICHARD D. JOHNSON and BERTHA E. JOHNSON, Defendants, on the 30th day of January, 1929, for the sum of Fifty-one Hundred Ninety-four and 58-100 Dollars gold coin of the United States, plus interest and costs, which said judgment and decree was on the 31st day of January, 1929, entered and recorded in Judgment Book 671 at page 28 et seq. (to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made), I am commanded to sell at public auction all the following described premises, situate, lying and being in County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 5, in Tract No. 8951, as per map recorded in Book 117 at page 51 of Maps in the Office of the County Recorder of said County.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, the 5th day of March, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs and expenses of sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated February 1, 1929.
R. E. ALLEN,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
GEORGE H. MOORE,
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Problem in Golf

When a golfer makes a hole in one less than par, it is called a birdie. When he does it in two less than par, it is called an eagle. But what term applies to the shot made by the Kansan whose ball hit and killed a cow in an adjoining pasture?—Witchita Beacon.

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Dr. Akagi on Portents of Pacific Era

Japanese Scholar Addresses the Community Club on Pacific Relations

America and Japan Can Dominate the Pacific and Ensure Peace

Laying the foundation for his talk on America and Japan, Dr. Roy H. Akagi quoted Roosevelt's remark of thirty years ago, "The Mediterranean era has passed; the Atlantic era is about finished; the Pacific era is at the dawn." Then the speaker gave the Men's Community Club at the Congregational Church a fascinating and thought-provoking look into the future.

Whether the future shall hold peace or war depends almost entirely on the relations of America and Japan, said Dr. Akagi. Giving his reasons for eliminating all other nations as dominant factors, he then showed how control of the commerce and peace of the Pacific will depend on these two nations.

The astonishing degree to which America and Japan are already tied together in education, commerce and religion was vividly set forth by Dr. Akagi. He traced the effect of the education of large numbers of Japanese in America to show that Japan has come to be essentially American in its habits of thought and manner of life. Commerce has developed to a point where each nation finds in the other one of its most important customers.

In religion, Dr. Akagi said, the influence of Christianity has extended far beyond the point indicated by number of Christian churches and membership. This was well illustrated on the arrival of Dr. John R. Mott in Japan where he was proudly and cordially welcomed in the editorial columns of every important newspaper. The leading Buddhist newspaper, published for a Buddhist constituency, was one of the most emphatic. It pointed out that Japanese Buddhism has been revolutionized till its followers think and act according to Christian standards, so that the influence of leaders like Dr. Mott is felt throughout the nation.

Some of the difficulties in the way of complete understanding and good will between the two nations were pointed out by Dr. Akagi. This was done without criticism of the American attitude but by raising questions entitled to deep thought and frank answers. For instance, what does America mean by the Monroe doctrine? What does America mean by insisting on the policy of the Open Door in the Orient? Then, how can the two be reconciled? Why was it thought necessary to exclude the Japanese people from the quota provisions of the last immigration act? With Japan's quota only 100 per year, which could hardly be said to have a measurable effect on American population, why was it thought necessary to administer such a slap to the Japanese people?

Such things, declared Dr. Akagi, are not causing Japanese statesmen or the Japanese people to think of war. They are applying the Oriental habit of patience, hoping that America will some day view the situation in a different light.

It will be necessary, said the speaker, for the people of these two great nations to develop a new technique of living together. There are many problems to be solved on both sides of the water. There are 60,000 American-born children of Japanese parentage, who will be citizens upon reaching their majority in this country. So far this second generation problem has been given only superficial consideration. To a large extent the two generations lack sympathy and understanding of each other. This is a field in in which Dr. Akagi, as secretary of the Japanese Student Christian Association of the Pacific Coast, is doing a tremendously important work.

At the close of his address Dr Akagi was thanked on behalf of the club by George B. Morgridge, the president, and his hearers were a unit in expressing their appreciation for a masterly handling of a difficult subject.

Preceding the address, a reel of Kodascope motion pictures of the old and unusual in Japan was thrown on the screen by Rudolph Hartman. The dinner served by the Woman's Society was pronounced one of the best on record.

Timely Aid For Injured Ball Player From Benefit Game

How welcome was the fund raised at the benefit ball game for Clarence Brunson, the Pasadena ball player who was injured in a local game recently, is told in a letter written by Mrs. Brunson to the local team. In addition to the collection taken at the game, a few individual contributions were received, bringing the total over $60. Mrs. Brunson's letter is as follows:

To Sierra Madre Merchants Base Ball Team:

We wish to sincerely thank you all for the wonderful way you made it possible to pay Clarence's hospital bill.

Words fail to express our gratitude for so kind an act. Perhaps you would be pleased to know that the money taken in was just enough to pay the hospital bill, as we brought Clarence home last Sunday evening. He is doing fine but still under the doctor's care.

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Pasadena, Calif.

Smith Will Allow Name To Be Used

School Trustee Agrees to Let His Name Go on Election Ballot

Announcement is made this week of the annual election of school trustee, to be held the last Friday this month, March 29. The term of Trustee J. O. Smith expires this year.

Although it had been reported Mr. Smith desired to retire from board activities, announcement was made this week that he would allow his name to be presented for re-election. His consent was given only after very strong urging on the part of citiens who appreciated the value of his services. Mr. Smith has given particular attention to financial matters for the school district, a subject where experience and familiarity are invaluable.

In view of the usual difficulty of getting good candidates to run for school trustee, the announcement that Mr. Smith's name will again appear on the ballot will bring a feeling of relief to many interested citizens. Don't forget the date, to the end that a substantial vote will be cast.

Unusual Showing Of the Publications Of William Morris

Booklovers, those interested in fine printing, and students of decoration will find something of unusual interest this week at The Little Museum of Mrs. George M. Millard, 645 Prospect Crescent, Pasadena. In this unique establishment, which is a mecca for people who are interested in old and rare books, has been gathered together a complete set of the publications of Wm. Morris at the Kelmscott Press, in England. Some of these volumes are the property of Mrs. Millard. The rest have been loaned by collectors especially for this unusual event.

After William Morris had worked a revolution in the arts of home decoration, furniture making and other crafts during the last century, he turned to bookmaking and achieved his greatest distinction. From the utterly commonplace printing of his time, he raised book production to a new pinnacle. This necessitated mastery of ink making, paper making, type design, decoration, presswork and binding.

The strange thing about the Morris influence is that it was so powerful but has been followed so little. He conceived a book page as something that should be beautiful as a whole, rather than that it should meet the requirements of legibility for everyday use. His work takes rank with the best of the printers who were the immediate successors of the old manuscript writers.

Mrs. Caroline Land Is Called to Rest

Catherine Ferris Land, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. eorge F. Ferris, passed away on February 25. She was a graduate of Cumnock School of Expression and a post graduate student of Emerson College of Oratory in Boston. She was married to John B. Land, in Kansas City, in 1920, and leaves a son nearly six years old, George Ferris Land. Funeral services were held Thursday, March 28, in the Turner & Stevens chapel, Pasadena, followed by cremation.

Plans Move Rapidly for Great Fete

Wistaria Vine Blooming Season Is Approaching This Month

Although it is impossible to establish a definite date for the Wistaria Fete, because of the uncertainty of the blooming period of the great vine at the home of Mrs. Estelle Fennel, plans are going forward so that the event can start no March 16 if the vine is ready. Mrs. W. E. Walker is chairman of the Central Committee for the Woman's Club and several sub-committees are at work on various details.

Convenient handling of the crowds is one of the things kept foremost in the plans. A marquise tent along the Carter Avenue front will provide shelter in case of rain or excessive heat. This will take care of merchandise displays as well as provide an attractive approach to the grounds.

With automobile parking handled by the Volunteer Firemen, and the cooperation of the police department for guiding traffic, it is believed larger crowds than ever can be taken care of with less confusion. Inside the grounds the new arrangement will also permit more complete enjoyment of the beauties of the vine and the serving of refreshments under more satisfactory conditions.

Quick Motor Trip Across Country From New York

Ensign and Mrs. C. B. Hutchins arrived on Saturday from Albany, N. Y., and are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Poehler, parents of Mrs. Hutchins. They left Albany on Monday, which did not allow much time for sight-seeing in the course of their motor journey.

Having been assigned to the Airplane Carrier Saratoga, Ensign Hutchins will meet his ship on its arrival from southern waters at San Diego. It is probable that he and Mrs. Hutchins will take up their residence in San Diego.

Associates With Same Firm Many Years Are Guests

William Lauren Rhoades entertained with a delightful stag party Saturday night at his home, 529 West Highland. The guests were ten heads of departments of the Paraffine Companies, Inc., of Los Angeles, the concern with which the host was associated for thirty years. Decorations of peach blossoms and Cecil Bruner roses made the dining room beautiful. The guests pronounced the centerpiece arranged by Mrs. Rhodes a masterpiece. Most of the guests had been with the same company many years, tho Mr. Rhodes had the longest record of service. Interesting reminiscences occupied a large part of the evening.

Veteran Mission Worker Will Speak To Bethany Women

Another treat is in store for Sierra Madre people next Tuesday, March 5, in Bethany Hall. The meetings of the Missionary Society are so unusually interesting that many persons come regularly from Pasadena, Arcadia and San Gabriel, and feel amply repaid for any effort involved, by the help and inspiration received.

Strangers in the community will find these Missionary days very profitable and delightful.

The morning session opens promptly at 10:30 with Current Events by Mrs. W. A. Evans, and Devotions. Luncheon served at noon. Business meeting at 1:30. At 2 o'clock the speaker will be Mr. E. G. Tewksbury, veteran missionary and for many years the secretary for China of the World's Sunday School Union. He will be remembered as the representative of China at the World Sunday School convention in Los Angeles last year. He is a forceful speaker. His work is unique and he will tell especially of the children in China.

The Bethany Missionary Society is Interdenominational and everyone is most cordially invited to come and enjoy the whole day of inspiration and fellowship.

Messrs. Nick and George Krier have been engaged on painting contracts in Hollywood this week.

Dr. Baxter Is Speaker At Assembly

Scholarship Society to Present Program This Afternoon

The Scholarship Society of Woodrow Wilson Junior High School recently elected new officers for the semester. Those elected were as follows: President, Edward Lowell; vice president, Irma O'Brien; secretary, Doris Booker; historian, Elizabeth Morgridge.

The installation of the new officers will take place at the Scholarship Society assembly this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Dr. Bruce Baxter of the University of Southern California will be the speaker.

Those who are members of the Scholarship Society this term, in order of their grades, are: 10-2—Bertha Lee Fitzgerald, Jean E. Cromley, Irma O'Brien, Stanley Knight, Richard McMillen, Edward Lowell, Edna Mae Conklin, Pearl Specht, Margaret Head and Margaret Hawley. 10-1—Dorothy Disbrow, Dorothea Cox, Ethel Johnson. 9-2—Doris Booker, Dorothy Kep, Ruth Carter, Marion Kravetz, Wilma Morrow, Treva Scott, Eileen Walrod, Virginia Fennell, Olive Wheeler, Mae Rosen, Michi Nomura. 9-1—Maxine Macklow, Myrtle Belle Cartwright, Jean Johnston, Carrie Hora. 8-2—Mildred Davis, Martha Cromley, Elizabeth Morgridge, Martha Newton, Walter Moore. 8-1—James Barrington, Elizabeth Burman, Lois White. 7-2—Verna Maye Lankford, Moreland Kortkamp, Esther Hauffen.

Merchants to Play Lincoln Park Team Here Next Sunday

In a game packed with thrills last Sunday, the Hazard Athletic Club ball team took the long end of a 9-10 count, on the local diamond. Manager Scott's Merchants played plenty good ball, but Lady Luck was playing the other team for favorites, and that's that. Lama and Krinke performed in stellar fashion with the bludgeon, getting doubles that figured in the scoring. Freddie Lalone proved his versatility by starting in at a garden spot and winding up in the pitcher's box, being on the mound the last two innings and giving a good account of himself.

The Merchants will play a team from the Lincoln Park district next Sunday on the local diamond. The Lincoln Park outfit has been organized but a short time, but have a number of good players on the team and a good game is expected. The game will be called at 2:15.

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HAENSSLER-HANSON

The marriage of Miss Emma Haenssler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Haenssler, 184 Auburn Avenue, to Mr. Ed Hanson of Glendale, is announced to take place at 11 o'clock this morning. Rev. William Duncan Ogg of Bethany Temple is the officiating minister. The bride is a member of the Eastern Star chapter and has many friends here and in Los Angeles where she has been employed. Mr. Hanson has been engaged in the automobile business for some time and is opening a new establishment in Pomona where he and his bride will make their home.

WHY CAMEL HAS HUMP

An elderly man approached one of the attendants in the traveling menagerie. "Can you tell me what that hump on the camel's back is for?" he asked.

The keeper scratched his ear. "Well, it's pretty useful, sir. The old camel wouldn't be mucn use without it, you know."

"But why not?"

"Why not?" exclaimed the keeper in surprise. "Well, you don't suppose people would pay to see 'im if 'e adn't got an 'ump, do you?"—Tit-Bits.

Streetcar Conductor: "Madam, this transfer has expired."

Irate Lady: "Well, you can't expect much else with the cars so poorly ventilated."— Wright Engine Builder.

St. Rita's Church

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Public notice is hereby given that sealed bils will be received by the Board of Trustees, also known as the City Council, of the City of Sierra Madre, California, up to the hour of 2:30 o'clock P. M. of Tuesday, March 12, 1929, for the following:

To furnish labor and material for the grading and construction of a reinforced concrete retaining wall and appurtenances on the Grove Street Reservoir Site in said City, in accordance with plans and specifications adopted by said Board of Trustees and on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, which said plans and specifications are hereby referred to and made a part of this Notice.

Said bids must be submitted on forms that will be furnished by the City Clerk.

Copies of said plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer, City Hall, Sierra Madre, California, or at the office of Engineer O. A. Gierlich, 209 Bank of Italy Building, Monrovia, California, upon payment of $5.00.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to award any or all of the items called for in the proposal or to reject any or all bids not deemed advantageous to said City.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in an amount of at least ten per cent (10%) of the total of said bid, payable to City of Sierra Madre, or an approved Surety Company bond for said amount and so payable, to insure the successful bidder entering into a contract satisfactory to said Board of Trustees.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a surety company bond with an approved Surety Company as surety, in an amount equal to twenty-five per cent (25%) of the total amount of the bid for faithful performance of the contract and a similar bond in an amount equal to fifty per cent (50%) of the total amount of the bid as a statutory bond for the payment of labor and materials.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, California.

Dated at the office of the City Clerk of said City of Sierra Madre this 27th day of February, 1929.

L. DIETZ,
City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre.

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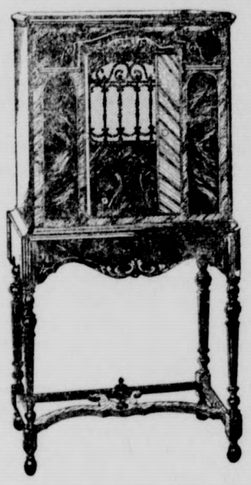

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